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Applicant(s): Motoki Kato			Docket No. SONYAK 3.9-157 CIP

Invention: INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD AND APPARATUS, PROGRAM AND RECORDING MEDIUM

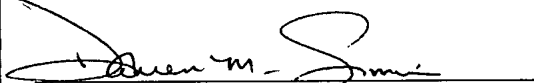
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Dear Sir:

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January 23, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-8, 10-12, and 14,  
please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as  
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